**PETITION**

**Access to Flash Glucose Monitoring in England**

To the House of Commons.

The Petition of residents for CRAWLEY Constituency

Declares that the unfair postcode lottery created by Clinical Commissioning Groups (CCGs) for access to Flash Glucose Monitoring (FreeStyle Libre) is detrimental to the health and emotional wellbeing of people with diabetes and those that care for people with diabetes. This technology has been proved to be cost effective for many who are on intensive insulin therapy. It has been made available on prescription by the NHS and there is evidence to support its positive impacts. At the moment, this technology is only available in certain parts of the country. Half of the country have now given access, but the other half have not. There is no reason why CCGs across the country should not make this life changing technology available to people with diabetes who could benefit in England.

This is an unfair postcode lottery. The Petitioners therefore urges the CCG's to take immediate action to make Flash Glucose Technology available on prescription for people with diabetes regardless of their address.

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